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German Morale Fast Breaking

LATEST BULLETINS FROM THE FRONT

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.—Dissolution of the central powers, with the subsequent establishment of a group of small independent nations, is a possibility in the not far distant future. This was frankly admitted by State Department officials today following persisent reports that have come from neutral European nations, telling of dissension, riots and mutinies in Germany and Austria-Hungary.

LONDON, Sept. 7.—Public interest today is equally divided between the unbroken advance of the allied armies and apparent signs that the German people are in a state of nervous anxiety bordering on demoralization. More editorial space is being given here to future events than the retreat of the German army. The belief that something like a panic has seized the German populace is not based upon stories from neutral sources, but upon the utterances of the leaders in the German nation and the appeals of German newspapers to the public to keep its head, while they themselves admit the seriousness of the military situation.

LONDON, Sept 7.—The capture of Tergnier by the French is an unusually important feat. Tergnier is a big railway junction center. Through its capture the French have cut the main line of the enemy railway between Laon and St. Quentin.

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN FRANCE, Sept. 7.—The German retirement continues throughout the whole area to the west of Cambrai and St. Quentin, and the British advance guards are in the zone generally between Cambrai and Peronne are close to the Hindenburg line. Numerous fires still are burning as the Germans retreat and there have been many more explosions. The British in the southern area have made rapid strides forward and this morning are more than nine miles to the east of the Somme, being some distance to the east of Hancourt.

BRITISH GUN WITH CATERPILLAR WHEELS

This British official photograph shows British soldiers making preparations to go up to the front with a battery. Note the caterpillar wheels of the big gun.

TELEGRAPHIC SUMMARY

KEEPING AT IT

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY ON THE AISNE FRONT, Sept 7.—Additional forces and supplies were brought up by both the Americans and the French during last night and early today the Franco-American line was again advanced. The allied artillery of both heavy and small calibers is being used to tear holes in the enemy lines.

FLEEING HUNS PILAGE

LONDON, Sept. 7.—Pilage and ruin such as characterized the great retreat of the Germans from the Somme to the Hindenburg line last year marks the present Germnn retirement in France, said a dispatch from the front today.

Houses were looted, furniture was plied in the roadway and set on fire, agricultural machinery was destroyed or damaged and all buildings were sacked.

CLOSE CALL BY U-BOATS

LONDON, Sept. 7.—Two German submarines that were pursuing two American transports which had become separated from their convoy, were sunk in the English channel by British and French destroyers, just as it began to appear that the American troops were surely doomed.

The transports were approaching the English coast when the U-boats suddenly appeared.

Twelve of the ships headed for safety and the others, which were cut off darted for a French port.

LENINE REPORTED DEAD

COPENHAGEN, Sept. 7.—One hundred and twenty-one Americans from the legation in Moscow, including seven women, and seventy-two Italian refugees, have escaped from Russia and arrived safely in Sweden, according to news agency dispatches.

The Bolsheviki demanded the surrender of the American and Italian refugees, but the members of the legation refused and succeeded in eluding the Red Guards.

According to the refugees, Nikolai Lenine, head of the Russian provisional government, died from the wounds received at the hands of Dora Kaplan.

FINS AND HUNS UNITE

PARIS, Sept. 7.—A treaty of alliance has been concluded between Germany and Finland, under which the entire man power of Finland is put at Germany's disposal, according to a dispatch to the Matin from Copenhagen.

I. W. W. IS GUILTY

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 7.—Sixty-five alleged I. W. W. members in the county pail here facing trial in the Federal Court will change their pleas to guilty, it was reported here today from a reliable sourse. It is known that Attorney Nathan Coghlan, representing the defendants, has been negotiating with P. H. Johnson, assistant U. S. attorney, since the conviction of I. W. W. members in Chicago.

PLEA TO SIEZE BIG INCOMES

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.—The taking for war revenue of all incomes above $100,000 by taxation or loans was urged by Benjamin C. Marsh, executive secretary of the Farmers' National Committee on War Finance, before the Senate Finance Committee today, when it resumed hearings on the $8,000,000,000 revenue bill.

BOILERMAKERS STRIKE

Four thousand eight hundred boilermakers employed in Oakland shipyards quit work at noon today, with the declaration that they will refuse to do any more work on Saturday afternoons until the Macy board, which is now adjusting wages and hours of labor, makes a decision regarding the recent demand for a 44 hour week. The present week is of 48 hours. The walkout is a result of a vote taken last night.

TWO FLIERS KILLED

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 7.—Two men were killed today in a collision of airplanes near Mather Field. William C. Wilson, son of ex-Mayor J. Stitt Wilson of Berkeley, a cadet, was killed instantly.

James E. Wilson, Pueblo, Colo., also a cadet, died from injuries suffered in a fall. The airplanes collided at an altitude of 3500 feet.

BOSTON WINS 3rd GAME

CHICAGO, Sept. 7.—Boston won the third game of the world's series today. The score was 2 to 1. Mays pitched for Boston and Vaughn for Chicago.

Macdonald Ave., at Eighth St.

Look Out For The Boy

THE MECHANICS BANK will accept the boy's deposit even if only a dollar, and will allow an interest of 4 per cent compounded semi-annually, on the principal.

DO RICHMOND SALOONS SELL LIQUOR TO SOLDIERS

News Finds Soldiers And Sailors Drinking At Rear Of Imperial Bar, With Bartender At Back Door

With soldiers and sailors staggering drunk along our main business throughfare at nights, it is prima facia evidence that either the local saloons are selling them liquor or else low down whelps of bootleggers are getting it from the saloons for them, and it is high time the authorities were putting a stop to it. If the police do not know this, then they don't know what most everybody else in town does know.

That the defenders of our country, in time of war, are to be robbed of what few dollars they have, in order that saloon keepers and bootleggers may make a few dollars more, and at the same time have their brains and bodies debauched, is a damnable shame, and everybody ought to be made to suffer for it.

What kind of a man is it that would do such a trick? We have not language to express our contempt for such a hound!

We have known of this going on for some time past, because the evidence of it has been plain enough, right on the public streets, of soldiers and sailors more or less under the influence of liquor, but could not get a trail that lead anywhere until last night, when we certainly got close on the scent.

Attracted by half a dozen soldiers and sailors last night at about 9 o'clock who had evidently been drinking, we trailed them down to what had every appearance of the place where they got it. Five of them, two soldiers and three sailors, went back of the Imperial Bar, at Fifth and Macdonald, and turned in there at the back door of the saloon.

Not wishing to attract attention, we walked on by, to the Pythian Castle, and waited a few moments, and then strolled back past where they were. At this time they were seated on beer kegs about ten feet back of the Imperial Barroom, talking, joking and clinking their glasses together—AND NOT TEN FEET AWAY, IN THE BACK DOOR OF THE SALOON, STOOD HE BARTENDER, IN WHITE APRON!

Now, wo do not know what was in the glasses those soldiers and sailors had, nor do we know that the bartender we saw standing at the back door a few feet away from them served them with drinks, because we did not see him do it, and unquestionably he will say he did not do it—but we do know this, and will testify to it on the stand, and are going to place it before the Federal authorities at once, and have an investigation—that the men were partially intoxicated when they turned in at that backyard; that five minutes later they were drinking out of glasses, and that the white-aproned Imperial bartender stood in the back door of the saloon not more than ten or a dozen feet away. And two and two make four.

We called up Chief of Police Walker, and he said he would investigate. Then we called up Mayor Lane, and he went right up in the air, and said he would see about that p. d. q., and that if anything of that sort was going on in Richmond it would be stopped or he would find out the reason why.

And the News is going to find out the reason why, also, and maybe when the Federal authorities get busy on it somebody will fetch up in the penitentiary.

Miss Myrtle Streeter Entertains Club

The Fleur De Leis Club held a meeting at the home of Miss Myrtle Streeter, 335 Bissell avenue, Friday night. The first part of the evening was spent in sewing. The room was beautifully decorated in blue, refreshments were served and the remainder of the evening the young ladies enjoyed dancing and music selections. Next week the club will beet at the home of Miss Lilly Thorson, 240 Third street.

Those present at the meeting were: Misses Lilly Thorson, Lena Quick, Daisy White, Olive Alevander, Dorothy Marston, Mrytle Streeter and Mrs. Van Valer.

DEMORALIZATION OF THE GERMANS IS NOW A FACT

LONDON, Sept. 7.—Demoralization of German population and widespread and growing dissatisfation in the German army accompanied by mutiny and desertions are described in a dispatch to the Daily Telegraph from its Rotterdam correspondent says that information reaching him is so sensational as to invite skepticism, but declares that he has received corroboration from athoritative sources which establishes the authenticity of the information.

He asserts that the German army is filled with despondency and seething with muntinous spirit and that alarming outbreaks have occurred in several units, principally Bavarian and Silesian. One incident of the Arras front terminated in a whole Barvarian division being disarmed and transported to Bavaria, where it was placed in a prison camp and the mutiny of one of the Silesian regiments resulted in nearly a hundred of its men being executed.

A huge number of desertions are occurring, and it is estimated that there are more than 20,000 deserters in Berlin alone. Large numbers are scattered throughout the country.

Disobedience and defiance of officers is common at the front, and a similar spirit is shown in the munition factories, where the workers deliberately are slowing up.

SPLENDID PROGRAM FOR TOMORROW NIGHT

By way of celebrating Admission Day the people of Richmond are to have a special patriotic demonstration at the Municipal Band Stand tomorrow evening. What California is doing to help win the war will be the theme of the program.

The committee announces that the Richmond Municipal Band will play, that Murphy's Comedians will perform and that there will be good speakes. Community singing will be part of the program.

The meeting will be called to order at 8 o'clock sharp. All loyal Richmond people should show up at the affair and help give another demonstration of Richmond spirit.

You can find all the local news in the Morning Daily News.

SUNDAY MORNING CHATS ON RICHMOND AFFAIRS

The Belgian Babies Need Our Help—Water Problem Bobs Up Again—Ancient And Modern Cliff Dwellers

Help Belgian Babies.

The News was talking with Mrs. William Boone over the phone last night about Belgian relief matters, and we are going to help her boost the game, and hope all our bighearted people will join in. Mrs. Boone is head of the local relief committee for the Belgian babies, and is confronted with the urgent necessity of doing something substantial, doing it quick, and we move that all of us get busy and help. The cause is one of the best. Thousands of little children hungry, sick, homeless and bereft of father, mother and everything else on earth that a little child loves. Good Lord! What are we folks thinking about, riding around here in our automobiles, smoking good cigars, eating pie and ice cream, and all that, while these thousands upon thousands of little ragged, homeless babies are hungry? Dernedif we are going to eat another hunk of pie or pudding until this war is over, but instead will give the price of it to Mrs. Boone and her committee, if they wil drop in and remind us of it! Will you do the same? Sure you will! We know you Richmond fellows like a mice-

One trouble is, the committee has been too modest. They don't like to get out and poke folks up, but they must forget that. Folks like to be poked up! That's why people like the News—we poke them up!

Holland took 1500 of the Belgian babies, but Holland is up against it now herself, and they will have to be sent constant relief this winter. Hey, there, you Bill Elks! Why can't we all take over a bunch of those babies? The News will take one. Come in, Mrs. B. and take this five-spot away!

Judge Roth is Thirsty.

Judge John Roth is somewhat of a freak, in that he is not only a Democrat but also drinks water. And he wants it to be good, clean and clear water, and plenty of it, therefore he thinks this city and the adjacent territory ought to have its own water system, and that the people could save money and get better service if they would get together and put in a supply and system of their own. So he mosied in here last evening and wanted us to stir up something along these lines—and we told him we were not at all interested.

The reason we are not interested is because we have gone to the bat twice on that subject ,advocating the people owning their own water system and supply, and carried on a campaign of education each time, first for the Sacramento river water, and then for water to be brought over from the supply of the Marin hills. Each time it went to vote of the people, and each time turned it down, and now they get no sympathy from us. We hope the water company cinches them until their eyes bulge out a foot. They had two opportunities to get their own water, at a monthly rate of about 50 cents or 75 cents, and no end of the supply, but they decided they would rather pay $1.50 to $2.50 a month, and get dark brown water of the consistency of pea soup, and now they may just enjoy themselves, and say they like it. We known when we get enough. Judge Roth has our permission to dig a well.

Cliff Dwelling.

On the Mancos river, near where this scribe lived in Colorado, is the habitation of the ancient cliff dwellers. In the cliffs on this river the caves of these Indians are in plain sight, tier upon tier of them, and how the dwellers ever got in and out is a mystery. We are reminded of it by the way people live nowdays in the cities—tier upon tier of flats and apartments, piled high on top of each other, and most of them hardly big enough to turn around in. We moved into one a few days ago, and are going to be a cliff dweller for the winter. We bought the layout, just as it was.

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TRADE AT HOME EVENT AT THE BIG STORES

To prove to you that it pays to trade at home we feature this trade-at-home event. We are offering a large assortment of yard goods, hosiery, domestics, gloves, fancy goods, notions, infant's wear, laces corsets, sweaters, waists, dresses, neckwear, underwear at lower prices than can possibly be obtained in the large city stores.

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DOWN WITH STARCHED COLLARS

A league has been formed in France, state the dispatches, to emancipate man from the starched collar, that instrument of satorial torture which imprison's our Adam's apples. May the league wax great and powerful, and spread to this country and all over the earth, that man may be free. Speed the day!

Is there a man anywhere in Christendom who will not hope that this good and righteous cause may prevail? Time was when men at the most stately functions and on the ceremonious occasions dressed comfortably and becomingly. In the days of Bean Brummel women might, in the exercise of her divine right, go corseted, but man refuses to confine any part of him in anything that chafed. He wore many colors; keen breeches, buckles on his shoes and lace at his neck and wrists, and never did he look any the less a man he has looked since what grace he had was condemned to be disguised in the habiliments that have for half a century or more made him an eyesore to all artists and a prey to those twin tyrants, the collar-maker and laundryman of all the world.

A lot of consistency we display, forsooth, in criticising the stays, the short shirt or anything else that is of our sisters, as long as we go through life with our necks in the grip of an iniquitous starched choker devised by vanity and the devil.

Every morning we struggle into one of those daytime nightmares, break all the commandments about profane language, shout in loud protests that any man who will rig up in a harness of that kind has not the sense of a rabit, and then finally get it adjusted, along with a sickly smile, and go down to the office, looking like any other dingbusted idiot that has just been told by a photographer to rest the back of his head on a long pair of tongs and look pleasant.

HIS WORTH

Up from the cradle to the grave
He climbed, and worked like any slave
That ever toiled borne down by chains;
And men took stock of every bond
And cent of which he was so fond,
And when he was consigned to earth
told all the world what he was "worth."

An English woman in New York complains in the papers about the indecent bathing suits of the American men. The lady's complaint is entirely justified. The average he fool who disports himself in the surf about one-fourth clad is enough to make a buzzard sick. He thinks he is an Adonis, when he is only an ass.

A fashion magazine says in thirty years women will be wearing the most sensible garments since the days of Eve in the Garden. High, ho! Lots of us will be dead then.

When little boys go swimming,
Don't give way to your wrath;
Remember what a job it is
To make them take a bath.

Few candidates ever become so good that they don't need, figuratively, a carbolized bath and clean garments after making a run for office.

Whatever honor may or may not be given to a prophet, if you spell it "profit" it gets honor in every country.

"Wanted, a Woman to Cook" reads an advertisement. Most of 'em are sweet enough to eat without cooking.

Wherever God's temples arise, there, also, the devil manages to erect some sort of a little chapel.

Clyde Conn Writes From England

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Conn have received word from their son, Clyde Conn, now stationed in England with the aviation service. His letter is marked Wales, and is written on the stationary of "The Church Army Recreation Hut." He tells of the camp life, drills, adjustment of gas masks and many other interesting details.

He send his regards to all of his Richmond friends and expresses the wish that they all write him once in a while.

Insane Trio Is Committed

Three insanity suspects were examined at the hospital Friday afternoon and all were committed to hospitals for treatment for their mental ills. Charles McVain of Martinez and Cecil Greenwood of Richmond were sent to Stockton and Joseph Pacheco of Cowell was committed to Napa.

Miss Costello Is With Standard Oil

Miss Irene Costello, stenographer in the District Attorney's office for the past four years, tendered her resignation Thursday to take effect at once. She has entered the Richmond offices of the Standard Oil company, where she was offered a fine position. Miss Jean McLean was named her successor in the District Attorney's office.

BAND CONCERT AT POINT

The Municipal band held an open air concert at the Point last evening. A splendid program of popular and classical music was rendered. Herbert Wolff of San Francisco was soloist. The program as published in yesterday's paper was well applauded and appreciatel by the large crowds that were coming and going during the entire performance.

The next concert will be at the Municipal band stand.

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Belgian Relief Fund Needs Attention

The Belgian Relief Committe in Richmond must have more money for its work. This is the statement of Mrs. W. A. Boone, chairman of the committee. Although the regular contributions have been coming along this is not enough to provide now for the urgent needs of winter. It is the intention of Mrs. Boone to enlarge the committee.

According to amounts reported, which totalled $70 for last month, the Point gives the Belgian relief three times as much as the east side of the city. An effort will be made to get a large response from the Macdonald avenue section.

A week from Tuesday a National Trained speaker from the east, Miss Lena Rice, will speak here at the Elks Club, Standard Oil, Porcelain Works, Pullman Shops, Pipe and Steel Shops and many other public places. As it is a great necessity to raise sufficient funds for the Belgian Baby Relief Fund.

MISS KISTER TO WED

Miss Lucille Kister, popular Richmond soloist, who has appeared on many of the finest programs about the bay, will desert her musical career for matrimony. Tonight she will be married to Sam Beck, a prominent San Jose young man at present employed at the Standard Oil.

The wedding will take place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Kister, 651 Sixteenth street, this evening. Rev. D. W. Calfee will perform the ceremony, following which a short honeymoon will be enjoyed. Miss Hazel Kister and Bill Sergeant will accompany the couple to the altar.

Tracy Is Oasis Of San Joaquin

Lodi's four saloons have closed their doors for all time, when the new city ordinange, adopted at the request of farmers and vineyardists of the county, became effective. Country saloons in the San Joaquin county closed at the same time. With Stockton's bars closed for some time past, the saloons in the town of Tracy now are the only ones open for business in San Joaquin county.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS SOCIAL

The Royal Neighbors will entertain at Pythian Castle with a Thrift Stamp entertainment on Monday evening. It is to take the place of their regular social evening. The program and features are to be kept secret, but is announced that no admission will be charged and no collection will be taken.

All members are ernestly requested to be present.

Watson Asked To Run Independent

H. O. Watson, who was running for the Assembly at the primary election, has been asked by a great number of people from various parts of the county and also from Richmond to run as an Independent candidate at the November election.

He has stated that he would not even consider it, unless his name could be printed in on the ballot instead of having to be written in.

HAS NEW MANAGER

J. C. Hitchcock will be the new manager for the Pacific Gas and Electric company in the place of Frederick J. Southerland, who resigned to fight for Uncle Sam. Mr. Hitchcock has been a foreman for the gas company for the past nine years. Augustus Devini will be his chief of construction and the meter man will be Frank Foster.

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NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNTY OF CONTRA COSTA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

In the Matter of the Estate of K. M. Beaver, sometimes known as Kate M. Beaver, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that Tuesday, the 10th day of September, A. D., 1918, at 10 o'clock A. M., of said day, and the Court Room of said Superior Court, at the Court House in the town of Martinez, County of Contra Costa, have been appointed as the time and place for proving Will of said K. M. Beaver, sometimes known as Kate M. Beaver, deceased, and for hearing the application of Geneveve Apperson for the issuance to her of Letters Testamentary.

Dated, Martinez, August 21st, 1918.
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By S. WELLS, Deputy Clerk.
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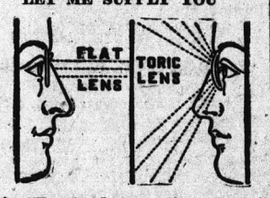

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New Prices Puzzle Grocers

A bombshell was dropped into the grocery trades yesterday by the fixing of prices on a large number of articles by the price committee of the food administration. These prices are for the bay cities. Some of the local grocers interviewed by the News state that if such prices are enforced that it will mean bankruptcy as it allows only an average of 8 per cent and that this is too narrow a margin upon which to do business. The retailers also complain that the amount allowed to the wholesaler, who does not take the risks and who sells in large quantities and therefore does business at less cost.

The commissioner allows stores which do a credit and delivery business to charge slightly more than the cash and carry stores.

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There will be dancing of the very best and most entertaining kind on the Richmond Theater bill today. The dancers will be the Mendop Duo, coming to Richmond off the big circuits and with a reputation for classy dancing unexcelled.

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TO THE READER

The News is a plain paper for plain people. It gives you all of the local news and a synopsis of the war and general news, delivered at your breakfast table every morning except Mondays, for 40c a month.

The News maintains an editorial department said by the people to be second to none in California. It always has something to say on all live issues, and is never afraid to say it, no matter were the chips fall. It is for Woodrow Wilson and Democracy and makes war against both graft and booze in season and out, every day and every night. its basic doctrine is the Fatherhood of God and the Brotherhood of Man, and its editor is president of the Sunshine Club.

The News is the official paper of the City of Richmond; also the official representative of organized labor in Richmond, of which there are 25 locals, with a membership of 3,000; and it has the unqualified endorsement of the temperance people.

Some people do not agree with the policies of the News, for which it is thankful, as there are some people it does not want to agree with it; but even they will acknowledge that it fights fair and in the open. It cannot be bought, bribed or bulldozed, and many who have tried it can so testify.

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TO ALL PATRIOTIC CITIZENS

The following appeal to patriotism is issued by the Power Administrator appointed by the Railroad Commission of the State of California.

CONSERVE ELECTRICITY

Patriotism demands that you save electricity for war industries.

Northern and Central California have a serious power shortage because of lack of rain during the past winter and the increased use of electricity by war industries.

THESE WAR INDUSTRIES MUST HAVE POWER

There is not enough power for everybody at the present rate of consumption. It is up to you to save. Turn off your lights when ever possible and use lower power lamps.

This is one other thing you can do in the great struggle.

H. G. BUTLER,
Power Administrator

Pacific Gas & Electric Co.
709 Macdonald Avenue Phone Richmond 531

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY DELINQUENT FOR NON-PAYMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENT BOND NO. 202, SERIES NO. 71, CHANSLOR AVENUE, CITY OF RICHMOND, CALIFORNIA.

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of installments of principal and interest due on Street Improvement Bond No. 202, Series No. 71, issued under the "Improvement Act of 1911," dated the 21st day of February, 1914, and

Whereas, the holder of said bond has demanded in writing of the undersigned that he, as City Treasurer of the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, proceed to advertise and sell the lot or piece of land in said bond mentioned and hereinafter described, which bond was issued for street work done on Chanslor Avenue, in said City of Richmond, as shown on assessment diagram on file in the office of the Superintendent of Streets of said City, and authorized by Resolution of Intention No. 174-2 of the Council of the City of Richmond, passed April 7th, 1913, and

WHEREAS, the unpaid remainder of the principal of said bond and the interest thereon, by reason of said default, are due, payable and delinquent.

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that unless the amount of said bond and the interest due thereon, together with the cost of publication of this notice, are paid, I, the undersigned, as City Treasurer of the said City of Richmond, will, on the 25th day of September, 1918, at the hour of 10 A. M. of said day sell at Public Auction in my office, 420 Macdonald Avenue in said City of Richmond, to the bidder offering to pay the amount due on the bond with costs for the least portion of the said lot or piece of land mentioned in said bond and described as follows; towit: Lot No. 23, Block No. 76, as delineated and so designated upon that certain map entitled "Amended Map of City of Richmond," filed in the office of the County Recorder on the 31st day of March, 1905.

The name of the owner of said lot or piece of land is "Unknown."

The amount due on said bond for principal is $50.86, and for interest thereon, up to said date of sale, is $2.61.

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NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY DELINQUENT FOR NON-PAYMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENT BOND NO. 101, SERIES NO. 74, SEVENTEENTH STREET, CITY OF RICHMOND, CALIFORNIA.

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of installments of principal and interest due on Street Improvement Bond No. 101, Series No. 74, issued under the "Improvement Act of 1911," dated the 3rd day of July, 1914, and

WHEREAS, the holder of said bond has demanded in writing of the undersigned that he, as City Treasurer of the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, proceed to advertise and sell the lot or piece of land in said bond mentioned and hereinafter described, which bond was issued for street work done on Seventeenth Street, in said City of Richmond, as shown on assessment diagram on file in the office of the Superintendent of Streets of said City, and authorized by Resolution of Intention No. 159-2 of the Council of the City of Richmond, passed August 18, 1913, and

WHEREAS, the unpaid remainder of the principal of said bond and the interest thereon, by reason of said default, are due, payable and delinquent.

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that unless the amount of said bond and the interest due thereon, together with the cost of publication of this notice, are paid, I, the undersigned, as City Treasurer of the said City of Richmond, will, on the 25th day of September, 1918, at the hour of 10 A. M. of said day sell at Public Auction in my office, 420 Macdonald Avenue, in said City of Richmond, to the bidder offering to pay the amount due on the bond with costs for the least portion of the said lot or piece of land mentioned in said bond and described as follows; towit: Lot No. 12, Block No. 77, as delineated and so designated upon that certain map entitled "Amended Map of City of Richmond," filed in the office of the County Recorder on the 31st day of March, 1905.

The name of the owner of said lot or piece of land is "Unknown."

The amount due on said bond for principal is $23.57, and for interest thereon, up to said date of sale, is $1.22.

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WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of installments of principal and interest due on Street Improvement Bond No. 101, Series No. 74, issued under the "Improvement Act of 1911," dated the 3rd day of July, 1914, and

WHEREAS, the holder of said bond has demanded in writing of the undersigned that he, as City Treasurer of the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, proceed to advertise and sell the lot or piece of land in said bond mentioned and hereinafter described, which bond was issued for street work done on Seventeenth Street, in said City of Richmond, as shown on assessment diagram on file in the office of the Superintendent of Streets of said City, and authorized by Resolution of Intention No. 159-2 of the Council of the City of Richmond, passed August 18, 1913, and

WHEREAS, the unpaid remainder of the principal of said bond and the interest thereon, by reason of said default, are due, payable and delinquent.

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that unless the amount of said bond and the interest due thereon, together with the cost of publication of this notice, are paid, I, the undersigned, as City Treasurer of the said City of Richmond, will, on the 25th day of September, 1918, at the hour of 10 A. M. of said day sell at Public Auction in my office, 420 Macdonald Avenue, in said City of Richmond, to the bidder offering to pay the amount due on the bond with costs for the least portion of the said lot or piece of land mentioned in said bond and described as follows; towit: Lot No. 2, Block No. 88, as delineated and so designated upon that certain map entitled "Amended Map of City of Richmond," filed in the office of the County Recorder on the 31st day of March, 1905.

The name of the owner of said lot or piece of land is "Unknown."

The amount due on said bond for principal is $56.60, and for interest thereon, up to said date of sale, is $1.88.

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NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY DELINQUENT FOR NON-PAYMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENT BOND NO. 26, SERIES NO. 62, ESPEE AVENUE, CITY OF RICHMOND, CALIFORNIA.

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of installments of principal and interest due on Street Improvement Bond No. 26, Series No. 62, issued under the "Improvement Act of 1911," dated the 26th day of December, 1913, and

WHEREAS, the holder of said bond has demanded in writing of the undersigned that he, as City Treasurer of the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, proceed to advertise and sell the lot or piece of land in said bond mentioned and hereinafter described, which bond was issued for street work done on Espee Avenue, in said City of Richmond, as shown on assessment diagram on file in the office of the Superintendent of Streets of said City, and authorized by Resolution of Intention No. 160 of the Council of the City of Richmond, passed May 5th, 1913, and

WHEREAS, the unpaid remainder of the principal of said bond and the interest thereon, by reason of said default, are due, payable and delinquent.

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that unless the amount of said bond and the interest due thereon, together with the cost of publication of this notice, are paid, I, the undersigned, as City Treasurer of the said City of Richmond, will, on the 25th day of September, 1918, at the hour of 10 A. M. of said day sell at Public Auction in my office, 420 Macdonald Avenue, in said City of Richmond, to the bidder offering to pay the amount due on the bond with costs for the least portion of the said lot or piece of land mentioned in said bond and described as follows; to-wit: Lot No. 2, Block No. 88, as delineated and so designated upon that certain map entitled "Amended Map of City of Richmond," filed in the office of the County Recorder on the 31st day of March, 1905.

The name of the owner of said lot or piece of land is "Unknown."

The amount due on said bond for principal is $26.50, and for interest thereon, up to said date of sale, is $1.37.

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NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY DELINQUENT FOR NON-PAYMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENT BOND NO. 29, SERIES NO. 67, CUTTING BOULEVARD, CITY OF RICHMOND, CALIFORNIA.

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of installments of principal and interest due on Street Improvement Bond No. 29, Series No. 67, issued under the "Improvement Act of 1911," dated the 17th day of January, 1914, and

WHEREAS, the holder of said bond has demanded in writing of the undersigned that he, as City Treasurer of the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, proceed to advertise and sell the lot or piece of land in said bond mentioned and hereinafter described, which bond was issued for street work done on Cutting Boulevard, in said City of Richmond, as shown on assessment diagram on file in the office of the Superintendent of Streets of said City, and authorized by Resolution of Intention No. 154 of the Council of the City of Richmond, passed January 27th, 1913, and

WHEREAS, the unpaid remainder of the principal of said bond and the interest thereon, by reason of said default, are due, payable and delinquent.

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that unless the amount of said bond and the interest due thereon, together with the cost of publication of this notice, are paid, I, the undersigned, as City Treasurer of the said City of Richmond, will, on the 25th day of September, 1918, at the hour of 10 A. M. of said day sell at Public Auction in my office, 420 Macdonald Avenue, in said City of Richmond, to the bidder offering to pay the amount due on the bond with costs for the least portion of the said lot or piece of land mentioned in said bond and described as follows, to-wit: Lot No. 26, Block No. 25, as delineated and so designated upon that certain map entitled "Santa Fe," filed in the office of the County Recorder on the 17th day of March, 1900.

The name of the owner of said lot or piece of land is "Unknown."

The amount due on said bond for principal is $21.82, and for interest thereon, up to said date of sale, is $1.12.

This notice shall be published twice in the RICHMOND NEWS, a newspaper of general circulation, published in said City of Richmond which said newspaper is hereby designated by the undersigned as the newspaper in which this notice shall be published.

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NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY DELINQUENT FOR NON-PAYMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENT BOND NO. 22, SERIES NO. 97, TWENTIETH STREET, CITY OF RICHMOND, CALIFORNIA.

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of installments of principal and interest due on Street Improvement Bond No. 22, Series No. 97, issued under the "Improvement Act of 1911," dated the 2nd day of August, 1915, and

WHEREAS, the holder of said bond has demanded in writing of the undersigned that he, as City Treasurer of the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, proceed to advertise and sell the lot or piece of land in said bond mentioned and hereinafter described, which bond was issued for street work done on Twentieth Street, in said City of Richmond, as shown on assessment diagram on file in the office of the Superintendent of Streets of said City, and authorized by Resolution of Intention No. 250 of the Council of the City of Richmond, passed November 20th, 1914, and

WHEREAS, the unpaid remainder of the principal of said bond and the interest thereon, by reason of said default, are due, payable and delinquent.

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that unless the amount of said bond and the interest due thereon, together with the cost of publication of this notice, are paid, I, the undersigned, as City Treasurer of the said City of Richmond, will, on the 25th day of September, 1918, at the hour of 10 A. M. of said day sell at Public Auction in my office, 420 Macdonald Avenue, in said City of Richmond, to the bidder offering to pay the amount due on the bond with costs for the least portion of the said lot or piece of land mentioned in said bond and described as follows; to-wit: Lot No. 3, Block No. 88, as delineated and so designated upon that certain map entitled "Amended Map of City of Richmond," filed in the office of the County Recorder on the 31st day of March, 1905.

The name of the owner of said lot or piece of land is "Unknown."

The amount due on said bond for principal is $23.57, and for interest thereon, up to said date of sale, is $1.22.

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NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY DELINQUENT FOR NON-PAYMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENT BOND NO. 30, SERIES NO. 67, CUTTING BOULEVARD, CITY OF RICHMOND, CALIFORNIA.

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of installments of principal and interest due on Street Improvement Bond No. 30, Series No. 67, issued under the "Improvement Act of 1911," dated the 17th day of January, 1914, and

WHEREAS, the holder of said bond has demanded in writing of the undersigned that he, as City Treasurer of the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, proceed to advertise and sell the lot or piece of land in said bond mentioned and hereinafter described, which bond was issued for street work done on Cutting Boulevard, in said City of Richmond, as shown on assessment diagram on file in the office of the Superintendent of Streets of said City, and authorized by Resolution of Intention, No. 154 of the Council of the City of Richmond, passed January 27th, 1913, and

WHEREAS, the unpaid remainder of the principal of said bond and the interest thereon, by reason of said default, are due, payable and delinquent.

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that unless the amount of said bond and the interest due thereon, together with the cost of publication of this notice, are paid, I, the undersigned, as City Treasurer of the said City of Richmond, will, on the 25th day of September, 1918, at the hour of 10 A. M. of said day sell at Public Auction in my office, 420

Mrs. Amelia Lane Receives Letter

Mrs. Amelia Lane, 600 Nevin avenue has received a letter from her son Elton Lane, now with the Navy department in France. The letter was dated July 30th, and reads as follows.

France, July 30, 1918.

Dear Mother:

I have a few moments to spare so will let you know that I am in the best of spirits not alcoholic. We are plugging away every day, and each day means one nearer the end. Old Bill is getting the worst of the deal at present, and I don't think it can last much longer. It is reported that the allies are sure going after them good. I guess the Kaiser is beginning to recognize America by this time. I wish you could se my little bed, you would sure laugh. It is not very much to look at but believe me it surely feels good to get into. It does not make much difference where we sleep after that trip coming over.

I had a payday yesterday, and drew $364 France, which is $64 in U. S. coin. It was sure funny at first getting used to this coin but I can sure handle it now pretty good. Well there is not much we can say, so good night for this time. With love from your son Elton.

Coppersmith, Foreign Service
U. S. N. A. F.
A. P. O. No. 4 B. E. F.
Care Postmaster N. Y.

Draft Perjurer Gets One Year

For swearing to a false statement in his questionsaire claiming that he was supporting his wife, Manuel Dupont, formerly employed by the Hercules Powder Company, has been found guilty and sentenced to one year in prison

The woman whom Dupont was supporting was not his wife.

PICNIC FOR OWLS TODAY

A parade at one o'clock from Washington avenue, headed by the Italian band, will start things for the second anniversary picnic of the Owls at Lafayette park today.

Dancing will commence at 2 o'clock and will continue as long as anyone wants to dance.

Macdonald Avenue, in said City of Richmond, to the bidder offering to pay the amount due on the bond with costs for the least portion of the said lot or piece of land mentioned in said bond and described as follows; to-wit: Lot No. 27, Block No. 25, as delineated and so designated upon that certain map entitled "Santa Fe," filed in the office of the County Recorder on the 17th day of March, 1900.

The name of the owner of said lot or piece of land is "Unknown."

The amount due on said bond for principal is $21.82, and for interest thereon, up to said date of sale, is $1.12.

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"Is Your Name Written Here?"

Mrs. M. Lipe of San Francisco is spending the day with her husband Mr. Lipe, 256 Sixth Street. Miss Myrtle Fry also of San Francisco accompanied her.

Mrs. David Gibson, 4133 Tenth street, entertained Harmony Circle No. 1, of the First Christian church. A business meeting was followed by a social affair. Delicious refreshments were served.

Dr. Barr, formerly with the La-Moine Drug company, but now an aero operator at Mare Island Navy Yard, with the service, was a Richmond visitor yesterday. His new uniform is very becoming to him.

Captain U. S. Abbott was tendered a farewell party at the home of Dr. Cunningham Friday evening by a large number of friends. He left yesterday for Fort Riley, Kansas, where he will train for overseas work.

Coroner Bert Curry is on a deer hunt in the Santa Cruz mountains with a party of friends. He expects to get the limit and his friends had better watch for his return if they want some venison for dinner.

L. J. Pinder, 885 Eighth street, is in receipt of a telegram from the War Department at Washington, stateing that his brother, Thomas C. Pinder, who enlisted at Plymouth, Amador county, has been severely wounded in action in France.

Helen Watson, six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Watson, 1609 Clinton avenue, while carrying a bottle of water to school for drinkink purposes, fell breaking the bottle and cutting her left arm severely. The wound was dressed by the school teachers and the little girl sent to her home.

A large and polly crowd was in attendance at the dance at East Shore Park last night, given by the Odd Fellow and Rebekah Red Cross committee. Although the proceeds have not been announced it is known that a good sum was realized. The proceeds go to the Red Cross.

We all hope the new committee named by the Chamber of Commerce Friday night, will get busy and do something interesting. There is plenty of room for action. And that reminds us that we forgot to say that the committee who got up that meeting and dinner deserves credit. J. A. Long was at the head of it, and he allowed no guilty man to escape. He called us up out of bed three times to sell us a ticket for a dollar. Long is all right.

The dispatches state that the allies are surrounding Ham. That is what we would like to do, but can't afford it at the present prices.

Harry Watson is sensible not to butt into the political game again. This writing a name in on a ballot never did pan out. Those who advised him to do it, we venture to guess, do not come forward with the $2,000 it would cost.

And today we all go down to East Shore Park and have a good time at the big picnic, given by the two Labor Councils, for the Defense League. It will be a big show, with all kinds of amusement, and well worth taking in. It is all day today and part of the night.

Mrs. Hettie Cervenka is now visiting at the home of Mrs. George Cervenka of San Pablo, and renewing old acquaintances.

Mrs. Mary Erwin of San Pablo, has received word from her son, Bob C. Erwin, of his safe arrival overseas. Bob was formerly prominently connected with California newspapers and is now with the 105th Artillery in France.

Miss Carolyn Nesbit of Acompo, California, is visiting her aunt, Miss Nesbit of 621 Bissell avenue, for a few weeks.

Mr. W. H. Conn and wife have left on a two weeks' vacation to be spent in Colfax, California. Miss Myrtle Conn is in charge of the Real Estate office on Sixth street during their absence.

Mrs. Chas. Taylor, 331 Chanselor avenue, has left for Calistoga, where she will visit her brother, Mr. Edward Stuart, who is quite ill in that place. The trip is being made by auto with her son-in-law, Mr. Nystrom and wife. They expect to remain three or four days.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Frazer, son Walter, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dunning have left for a two weeks vacation at Yosemite.

Mrs. Amelia Lane, 600 Nevin avenue, has returned from a weeks visit with her daughter, Mrs. Olive Hess, 3322 Presidio avenue, San Francisco. She also visited a few days with her sister, Mrs. Ahern of San Francisco.

Mr. Row, formerly of Richmond, has returned from a three months' visit at Chicago, Illinois, and was a Richmond visitor yesterday. He will make his home in Berkeley.

Fred W. Heckman, business agent for the local unions has been granted a two weeks' vacation, which he will spend in the Sierras. J. O. Dahl will act as business agent during Heckman's absence. He will leave Tuesday.

Bert Melberg of El Cerrito, left yesterday for Camp Bowie, Texas, under the limited service class.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mildradt of Nevin avenue are visiting relatives in Alameda. They will return home tomorrow evening.

Mrs. W. D. Barber, 235 Seventh street and Miss Ruth Sanborne, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. H. K. Sanborne, have returned home from a vacation spent at Mt. Hermon.

Mrs. Cedric Wright

Announces the opening of her

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Phone 217
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Mrs. Wright personally any Wednesday after 1 o'clock

SUNDAY MORNING CHATS ON RICHMOND AFFAIRS

and in a few days, when we got time, went over to see what it was we had purchased.

We sat down on the bed and it seemed all right, but when we got up the blame thing went up in the air and disappeared in a hole in the wall, and we had to get Chief of Police Walker and a search warrant to find it again. It is lucky we got off it before it took wings, or we would likely have been taken along.

In another room was a bookcase, but we could not open it to find out what books were inside, and as we are very fond of Shakespeare, Byron, Burns and Tom Moore, we got instructions from the former owner, and after giving the thing the high sign, tapping three times on one end and pressing a button on the other, it suddenly fell all to pieces, and behold, it wasn't a bookcase at all, but a washstand, with everything complete, from towels to Palm Olive soap!

Out on the 2x4 ranch there is nothing to disturb a fellow's slumbers in the morning, after turning in a 3 g. m., but the cackle of the hen over the egg for the morning breakfast, or the tuneful song of the meadow lark, but down here the street cars rumble and roar, autos honk, trucks rattle by on the paved streets, carpenters hammer a million nails into new buildings going up nearby, horses clatter past, ten thousand pedestrians go by the window, whistling "Over There," and a small army of kiddies whooper-er-up with roller scates and skooters on the cement sidewalks. There are families to the right of us, families to the left of us families upstairs, and all around, and not a soul of them would come to our funeral if we die today, because none of us have ever been introduced.

We don't know yet whether we like cliff dwelling or not, but will give it a fair tryout before pronouncing final sentence.

TWO HOLIDAYS NEXT WEEK

There will be two holidays next week, both of which will be observed in Richmond. The first is on the 9th, next Monday, which is Admission Day and also Thrift Stamp Day and the other is Thursday, the 12th, Registration Day, the latter being made a holiday by the government so that a sufficient force can be secured to register the large number of men between the ages of 18 and 45 for the draft.

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Ten percent of your purchase given back free, in Thrift Stamps, at the Tea, Coffee and Commodity Store, 2439 Clinton ave. Choice stock of Coffees, Teas, Extracts, Spices, Toilet Articles, Fruits Vegetables and Produce alway on hand, at attractive prices.
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WANTED—Four or five room furnished cottage by the 14th of September. Must be clean. Address Box 25, Richmond News. 203-6t*

FOR SALE—$3750 in Berkeley on direct line to Richmond, corner house with garage, all street work done. $500 down, rest like rent. S. Schmidt, owner, 2331 Haste St., Berkeley—Phone Berk. 1605, mornings. 203-2t

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INTERESTING NEWS OF THE COUNTY

Annexation Failed

General apathy on the part of the voters of Martinez, for only a small portion went to the polls to vote Thursday, is responsible for the defeat of the proposition to annex the Alhambre Heights and a part of the Shell refinery. The annexation proposition lost by 24 votes.

Three Soldiers in One Family

When Jennings B. Thomas of Crockett left for Camp Kearney Thursday afternoon, he made the third boy in one family to enter the U. S. service.

Powder Company Helps.

A community center for Pinole has been made possible by a gift of $4000 from the Hercules Powder company for a building to be operated under the direction of the Pinole-Hercules school district. The new structure will serve a triple purpose. In the morning it will be a kindergarten; the afternoon will be given over to Red Cross work and in the evening there will be Americanization classes for employes of the powder works. Already many children have been enrolled for the kindergarten. The structure will be of a pleasing architecture and modern in all respects.

RICHMOND'S NEW BABIES FOR MONTH OF AUGUST

The City Health Office reports 31 births for the month of August as against 15 for last year and 24 for the year 1916, and 29 for 1915. The Health Department requests that if any births are omitted from this report that parents notify the department at once, so that the proper correction can be made. Here is the list for the month of August 1918:

August 8, to the wife of T. Archibald, son.
August 2., to the wife of G. Armanini, son.
August 24, to the wife of R. Baschenis, daughter.
July 28, to the wife of C. Brownlee, son.
August 28, to the wife of K Bruce, daughter.
August 13, to the wife of B Chambers, son.
August 12, to the wife of F. Cotton, daughter.
August 2, to the wife of E. Covey, son.
August 29, to the wife of A. DeCosat, son.
August 1, to the wife of R. Depew, daugter.
August 9, to the wife of M. Faria, daughter.
August 19, to the wife of C. Garbotti, son.
August 9, to the wife of J. Garvey, daughter.
August 22, to the wife of W. Green, son.
August 23, to the wife of H. Hunt, son.
August 19, to the wife of J. Jacobs, daughter.
August 19, to the wife of J. Kahl, son.
August 2, to the wife of B. Lazaro, daughter.
August 8, to the wife of L. Lehman, daughter.
August 16, to the wife A. Luiz, son.
August 12, to the wife of N. Madsen, son.
August 2, to the wife of L. Mathews, daughter.
August 30, to the wife of C. Miller, daughter.
August 5, to the wife of E. Parker, daughter.
August 25, to the wife of A. Ramirep, son.
August 11, to the wife of C. Springer, son.
August 26, to the wife of E. Thomas, daughter.
August 233, to the wife of E. Wilson, daughter.

No More Beer After Dec. 1

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.—Manufacture of beer in the United States will be prohibited after December 1 next as a war measure.

This announcement is made by the food administration, which said the decision had been reached at conferences between President Wilson and representatives of the fuel, food and railroad administrations and the War Industries Board.

Among the Churches

Wesley Methodist Episcopal—Ninth and Nevin, Frank Linder, Pastor.

11 a. m. Morning Worship, sermon theme, "The Ministry of Rescue."

7:45 p. m. Great patriotic service. The names of the seventy-two Wesley church men in service will be read. The patriotic songs will be sung. Mr. Linder will speak on "The light on the clouds."

St. Paul's Evangical—Services in Moose Hall.

Sunday school 10 a. m. Lesson: 1 Kings 21, 11-20. Preaching at 11 o'clock, subject: "Consider Him."

A. BAHNSEN, pastor.

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Our Lady of Mercy Catholic—Rev J. L. Collins, pastor. Richmond ave.

Services tomorrow morning at 7 and 9.

Sunday school under the direction of Sisters of Presentation Convent after 9 o'clock mass.

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Episcopal—Rev H. B. Hadlow, rector.

Sunday school in Bank hall, Eighth and Macdonald, 9:330 a. m.

Evening Services 7:45 p. m.

Sunday school in Trinity church, Washington avenue, 10 a.m.

Morning Service at 11 a. m.

Tuesday the Auxiliary to Missions will meet at the home of Mrs. Harlow, Florida avenue, at 2:30.

Wednesday the Trinity Girls' Guild wil lmeet with Mrs. Powell, 447 Eleventh street, at 3:45 and choir practice in Trinity church at 7:30.

Thursday there will be a meeting of the parishioners in Trinity at 8 p. m.

Friday, Junior choir practice at the home of Mrs. Fenix at 6:30 p. m.

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First Christian—Sixth street and Bissell avenue. Rev. Thomas A. Boyer, pastor.

Mrs. Taylor Johnston, choir director.

Miss Vera Wyatt organist.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.
Morning service at 11 a.m.
Evening service at 7:45.
Christian Endeavor—Senior and intermediate—at usual hour.
Midweek services as usual.
Morning, "A Blind Man's Difficulties."
Evening, "A Veritable Jack the Giant-Killer: His Genealogy."

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First Presbyterian—Twelfth and Bissell. Henry Kendall Sanborne, pastor.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., A. H. Poage, supt.

Morning Worship at 11 a. m.

Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m.

Evening Worship at 7:45 p. m.

Wednesday, 7:45 p. m., midweek prayer service and Bible study.

Morning sermon: "The Potter and the Clay," Anthem: "Rock of Ages" Christian Endeavor, subject: "The Training of the Conscience."

Evening theme: "Religion in the Army—Our Work Among the Soldiers." Anthem: "Cantate, Domino in E Flat.

Tuesday at 7:45 p. m. Sunday school workers conference.

Wednesday at 7:45 p. m., midweek prayer service and Bible study. There will be an all-day Pan-Presbyterian conference at San Anselmo on Monday, September 9th. A cordial invitation, is extended to all these meetings.

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First Baptist—Tenth near Nevin. Carl Bassett, pastor. Residence 711 Maple street.

Sunday schools at Tenth street and at the Point. W. Dimock and F. P. Allen, Supts.

Preaching service at 11 a. m.

B. Y. P. U. at 7 p. m.

Evangelistic service at 8 p. m.

Prayer meetings: Tenth street, Wednesday at 8 p. m.; Point, Thursday at 8 p. m. Public is invited to all services.

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First Methodist—J. C. Gillette, minister.

Sunday school at 10 a. m., B. E. Scoble, Supt.

Morning Worship at 11 a. m.

Epworth League at 7 p. m.

Evening Worship at 8 p. m.

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St. Paul's Catholic—San Pablo, Rev. Joseph Porta, pastor.

Early mass at 8 a. m. Sunday school to follow.

Late mass at 10:00 a. m.

7:30 p. m. Novena of St. Rita. Last day of the Novena.

Classified Ads

FLAT TO RENT—Four rooms at 401 Twenty-first street. Inquire on premises. 1t

FOR SALE—A Mitchell five passenger Car. Good mechanical condition. Good tires. Will trade for Ford Roadster. G. W. Gallamar, 164 6th St. 204-6t

FOR RENT—Room and board in private family, home comforts. Apply 331 Chanselor avenue. 203-2t*

FOR EXXCHANGE OR SALE ON terms—Two clear lots, Nos. 30, 31, block 10, Richmond City Center Tract, value $1800. Want equity in Los Angeles bungalow. E. W. Smith, 552 S. Chicago St., Los Angeles, Cal. 203-3t

Daily News classified advertisements pay.

PROGRAM OF SOCIAL EVENTS AT BIG SHOW

The following is the program of social events at the Pacific Coast Land and Industrial Exposition at Oakland for the first six days:

Monday, September 9—Opening day. Native Sons' day; dancing in the evening, Native Sons' ball.

Thursday, September 10—Electric School day; in the evening Electrical School day of the American Navy.

Wednesday, September 11—Presentation of the Court of Democracy; San Benito County day; dancing in the Auditorium.

Thursday, September 12—Opening of the Bench Show, and California Counties Day; music and dancing.

Friday, September 13—Bench Show; Council of Defense day; Money Back day; dancing.

Saturday, September 14—Shipbuilders' day; Alameda and Contra Costa day; bench show, awarding of prizes; dancing.

Sunday, September 15—Oakland day and Shipbuilders' day; special music.

Richmond Club To Have French Program

The Richmond Club will hold a meeting at their club rooms next Tuesday afternoon at 2:30. They will discuss the subject of taking up the study of France. A program will be given and interesting talks made.

The program is as follows:

Talk on French by Dr. Boyer; Two piano selections from French Authors, by Professor Falked of San Francisco; French Recitation, Mrs. Billy Brown; Marseillaise, French National Anthem, will be sung by a 16 year old French boy; Reading, Miss Ada Ogborn.

All members are earnestly requested to be present.

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TO WORKINGMEN AND BUSINESS MEN

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